

## TRIBUTE

Is Paid to the Memory of the Distinguished Dead.

## Harrison Was a Statesman

And Was Recognized as One of the Foremost Americans of His Time. Ex-President Cleveland's Tribute to Former Political Opponent.

Washington, March 14.—President McKinley and wife, and Secretary Cortelyou and Dr. Rixey leave for Indianapolis this evening to attend the funeral of ex-President Benjamin Harrison, whose death occurred at Indianapolis at 4:45 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

### PEACEFULLY

The End Came to the Distinguished Soldier and Statesman.

His Conscience Never Slept.

Indianapolis, March 14.—General Harrison died at 4:45 Wednesday afternoon, without regaining consciousness. His death was quiet and painless, there being a gradual sinking until the end came, which was marked by a single gasp for breath as life departed from the body of the great statesman. The relatives, with a few exceptions, and several of his old and tried friends, were at the bedside when he passed away. The gradual failing of the remarkable strength shown by the patient became more noticeable in the afternoon and a few moments before the end there was an apparent breakdown on the part of the sufferer as he surrendered to the disease against which he had been so bravely battling for so many hours.

News of the death spread quickly through the city. The announcement produced the greatest sorrow. Within a few moments the flags on all the public buildings and most of the downtown business blocks were hoisted at half mast and other outward manifestations of mourning were made. None of General Harrison's children was present at the death. Neither Colonel Russell Harrison nor Mrs. McRae was there, though both were hurrying to the bedside of the dying parent as fast as steam would bear them. Elizabeth, the little daughter, had been taken from the sick room by her nurse before the end came.

General Harrison had been unconscious for hours before his death, the exact time when he passed into a comatose state being hard to determine. He spoke to no one during the day and failed to recognize even his wife. The greater part of Tuesday, too, he was in a semi-conscious condition, although he was at times able to recognize those at his bedside.

Since General Harrison's retirement from the presidency he had devoted himself almost entirely to his law practice, his only public service being his appearance in 1889 as counsel for Venezuela in the South American republic's dispute with England over her boundary line.

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It was decided at a meeting of Governor Durbin with a number of the other state officers that the body of General Harrison should lie in state in the rotunda of the Capitol all day next Saturday. The highest honors which it is in the power of the state of Indiana to pay will be rendered to the remains of General Harrison.

It has also been decided that the honorary pallbearers shall be the members of his cabinet. It is not known positively how many of them will come, but it is supposed by the members of the family that all will be here.

The allegations of cruelty and injustice dealt out by England to the Boers in their struggle for liberty had been a subject for thought in the mind of General Harrison. He would have liked nothing better than to have come out frankly and strongly and say to everyone who would hear what he thought of England's cruelty, but he believed that an ex-president should observe the same proprieties of speech which are observed by a president of the United States. In his semi-conscious condition he spoke of the Boers and their hopeless struggle for national life.

### THE FUNERAL

Will be Held From Presbyterian Church Sunday at 2 O'clock.

Indianapolis, March 14.—It was definitely settled this morning by the state officials and friends of General Harrison, that the funeral shall be held at 2 o'clock Sunday, from the First Presbyterian church and the

LIMA, OHIO, THURSDAY, MARCH 14 1901.

PRICE THREE CENTS

## BUSY

Running Down the Filipino Forces.

U. S. Troops

Were Mixed Up in Many Engagements

And Succeeded in Capturing Half Dozen Cabinet Members.

Pay Train Attacked by Robbers, But the Robbers Were Routed and the \$75,000 in Gold Was Saved.

Manilla, March 14.—Paymaster Major Pickett, with \$75,000 in gold and an escort of 10 mounted men from Company D of the Sixteenth regiment infantry, was attacked by a party of 30 bandits on the road between Bayombong and Echague, in the province of Neuva Viscaya. A hard fight ensued and the robbers were routed. The funds were saved. Corporal Hooker was killed and a private was wounded.

Lieutenant John L. Hines, with Company K, Second United States infantry, encountered a body of insurgents south of Buena Vista, Marinduque Island, one American being killed and three wounded. The insurgents lost six killed and 13 wounded. A combined effort is being made to crush the insurgents in Marinduque Island, and 10 expeditions are out.

Cleveland's Tribute.

Princeton, N. J., March 14.—Former President Cleveland made the following statement on the death of former President Harrison: "I am exceedingly moved by the sad intelligence. Not one of our countrymen should for a moment fail to realize the services which have been performed in their behalf by the distinguished dead. In high public office he was guided by patriotism and devotion to duty, often at the sacrifice of temporary popularity, and in private station, his influence and example were always in the direction of decency and good citizenship."

Lew Wallace's Mite.

Indianapolis, March 14.—General Lew Wallace, almost a lifetime friend of ex-President Harrison, said: "The news was like a blow over my heart. Ten days ago Benjamin Harrison was the foremost man in America. I make no exception. He had every quality of greatness—a courage that was dauntless, foresight almost to prophecy, a mind clear, strong and of breadth by nature, strengthened by constant dealing with subjects of national import, subjects of world-wide interest."

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Foreign Comment.

London, March 14.—All the morning papers publish long memoirs of the late General Benjamin Harrison and editorials dealing with his career. The Daily Chronicle says: "It may be long before America finds another president as capable, honorable and conservative." The Standard expresses the opinion that General Harrison has not left a deep mark in the history of his country, but, like all the papers, it pays a tribute to his high personal character.

THE WEATHER.

Washington, March 14.—For Ohio, occasional snows or rains tonight; fair Friday, except occasional snows along northeastern lake shore.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

Chicago, March 14.—Cattle 7,500 strong; hogs 22,000, 5 cents higher; sheep 8,000 stronger.

### ONE SCALDED TO DEATH

And Another So Badly Injured That Death is Feared.

Toledo, Mar. 14.—Four year old Johnnie Walker in the absence of his mother fell into a boiler and was scalded to death. His 12 year old sister in trying to rescue him was so badly burned she may die.

### BOLD ATTEMPT

Made to Hold Up a National Bank Cashier.

Harrisburg, March 14.—In a bold attempt that was made at Halifax, twenty-one miles from here, to hold up a national bank cashier, Ryan, the latter in an effort to grapple with two robbers this morning, was shot in the breast and dangerously wounded. The robbers were caught and lodged in jail. Ryan's brave defense may cost him his life.

## NEGOTIATIONS

For the Surrender of Boer Army

Are Rapidly Progressing Between Generals.

The "Unconditional Surrender" Policy of the English Government Understood to Have Been Greatly Modified.

London, March 14.—It is understood that there has been an active interchange of telegrams between the home government and the cape authorities and Lord Kitchener concerning the negotiations with General Botha, and also that immense quantities of foodstuffs are reaching Pretoria by way of Delagoa bay on which to feed the Boers when the final surrender is made. In addition to the modifications in the "unconditional surrender" policy it is understood the government has authorized Lord Kitchener to give a distinct promise that the government of the new colonies shall culminate in a complete grant of free institutions.

## ANTHRACITE

Mine Workers are Now in Session.

Six Hundred Delegates are Present.

The Convention Called to Order by President Mitchell Who Refuses to Discuss the Strike Question.

Hazleton, Pa., March 14.—President Mitchell called the Mine Workers' convention to order in executive session. The report of the committee on credential showed presence of 600 delegates, representing 316 local organizations. President Mitchell said in an interview that "As the convention has not yet taken up the matter, I cannot talk of the possibility of a strike. We are entitled to a joint conference because that is the only humane, scientific and up-to-date method of settling labor difficulties." The operators refuse to recognize the convention.

## VERDICT

Was Commanded by the Justice.

A Texas Lynching Case Was Investigated

And the People Who Did the Deed Were Extolled for the Act. The Punishment Was Warranted.

Corsica, ... March 14.—Justice H. G. Roberts held an inquest over the remains of Henderson, the negro that was burned at the stake, and gave the following verdict: "I find that the deceased came to his just death at the hands of incensed and outraged feelings of the best people in the United States, the citizens of Navarro and adjoining counties. The evidence, as well as the confession of guilt by deceased, shows that his punishment was fully merited and commendable."

## CZAR

Speaks Through His Representative at Washington.

Does Not Want Manchuria

And Will Remove His Troops from There as Soon as Order is Restored, Provided That the Other Powers Do Not Interfere.

Washington, March 14.—The Russian ambassador, Count Cassini, was seen concerning the reiterated reports as to Russia's designs on Manchuria. The ambassador first called attention to the Chinese invasion of Russian territory last summer. There is a great stretch of border between the two empires, about 8,000 kilometers in length, and over the Manchurian border the Chinese forces, he said, poured, committing depredations and threatening Russian interests. This invasion was such the ambassador said, that Russia at that time would have been justified by international law in declaring war against China and taking Manchuria. But Russia did not at that time take Manchuria, this being, the ambassador said, the best answer to the present reports of Russia's purpose to absorb Manchuria. As to the Russian troops now in Manchuria the ambassador said:

"Why are German, British, American and other troops in Peking? There seems to be no surprise about this, and yet it is exactly parallel to the presence of Russian troops in Manchuria. In Manchuria the Russian civil engineers at one time had been driven away from work along the Trans-Siberian railway. It was necessary to give adequate protection to those engineers and to the railway as well." Count Cassini pointed out that the Russian minister of foreign affairs in a formal note had announced clearly and distinctly the policy of Russia in regard to Manchuria. In accordance with that declaration, it could not be doubted that when order had been established in Manchuria and measures taken for the protection of railway construction Russia would recall her troops from Manchuria, provided the action of other powers did not place an obstacle in the way of such a measure.

## ANOTHER FIRE TRAP

Goes Up in Smoke and Usual Number of Victims are Killed.

New York, Mar. 14.—Three persons were killed in a blazing tenement at 270 Atlantic avenue, Brooklyn, early this morning. The tenement was a veritable death trap. The fire started in a bake shop on the first floor and the tenants awakened soon in a wild panic. Twenty families lived in the place. The firemen rescued many from the window ledges and only a few escaped by the stairs. Mrs. Madden jumped from the fourth story and turned once landing on her head and was instantly killed. Mrs. Ronet was burned to death in her room on the third floor. Her son George jumped from the same floor and was instantly killed.

## FRIGHTFUL TRAGEDY.

Drunken Man Deliberately Kills His Wife and Shoots Himself.

Canal Dover, O., March 14.—Early this morning Geo. Weaver, a truckman, employed in the mills here, shot his wife and then committed suicide. It is the old story of drink and poverty. Weaver came home and abused his wife and family and then the tired mother taking her new born twin babies went to sleep. Weaver took his revolver, brushed back the hair from his wife's temple and sent a bullet through her brain. He then turned the weapon on himself and the neighbors, rushing in, found the wife dead and the husband dying.

They had eight children and six of them are very young and all living in one room. The children are without friends or prospects for the future.

## A Kentucky Town Wiped Out by Fire.

Cloverport, Ky., March 14.—Every big business block in this town was destroyed last night by fire, which was caused by a natural gas explosion and the loss is about \$500,000. Five blocks on both sides of the street were destroyed and the state is now hurrying provisions and tents to the destitute people. The town was practically wiped out.

## DITCHED.

Passenger Train Meets Disaster.

Eleven Passengers Seriously Injured.

The Train Caught Fire and Several Narrow Escapes from Cremation Experienced. Defective Rail the Cause.

Lenawee, Kan., March 14.—A Leavenworth and Western passenger train was ditched near Soldier, 65 miles west of here, and 11 passengers were injured. The most seriously injured is Leo Chadwick, superintendent of bridges and buildings. The express car caught fire from an overturned stove and the train crew was compelled to cut into the car to rescue Express Messenger Henry Wheeling, after which the fire was extinguished. The wreck was caused by a defective rail.

Ran Into a Snowdrift.

Saginaw, Mich., March 14.—A double-header passenger train from Saginaw to Ludington ran into a snowdrift in front of the station at Lake Station, 62 miles west of this city, on the Pere Marquette. Fireman C. S. Ordern of Ionia and Brakeman W. E. Hammond of St. Johns, were killed. Trainmaster P. N. Price of Saginaw was severely and Engineer Robert Sodler slightly injured.

### Fatalities at a Fire.

New York, March 14.—A dwelling house on Atlantic avenue, Brooklyn, resulted in the loss of three lives. Mrs. George Macklin jumped from a third story window and was killed, and the bodies of Mrs. Mary Burns and an unidentified child were found in the ruins.

### Threatened Wholesale Lynching.

Canton, Miss., March 14.—The people are much dissatisfied with the acquittal of Russell Broach, white, and the release, unconditionally or on bail, of seven of the eight negroes charged with Broach with the murder of the Gamble family. There are again threats to lynch all these and Andrew Boyd, the other negro in the case, who is still in jail.

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The sale of special fare colonists tickets to California, and settlers' tickets to the Northwest, West, South and Southeast has been resumed via Pennsylvania Lines. Particular information about fares, through time and other details will be furnished upon application. Please call on or address

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**TRY ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE**

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**\$5.75 TO CALIFORNIA.**

The Chicago & Erie railroad will sell at cap one way tickets to California on Tuesdays of each week up to and including April 30. See agent F. C. McCoy.

**CASTORIA.**

Bears the  
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Signature of  
*Castor Oil*

BLACKSMITH STATESMAN,  
Tawney of Minnesota Goes From the  
Forge to Congress

Twenty years ago Tawney of Minnesota left the forge to become a lawyer. At a Washington dinner party the other day the guests looked incredulous when somebody recalled that this thoughtful well-groomed man, of irreproachable manner and ready speech, was for years a blacksmith, says a Washington correspondent in the St. Louis Globe-Democrat. Serving his eighth year in congress, one of the most forceful members of the great ways and means committee, head of the committee shaping the world's fair bill, James A. Tawney classes at 45 years of age, with the courtesy known as leaders of the republican side. Only a few days ago the vote he received for the senatorial nomination in the republican caucus of Minnesota gave evidence of his political growth. The man's remarkable career is interesting and significant in that it shows the conditions of the United States still make possible the highest degree of success to the earnest worker. As a boy in his home near Gettysburg, Mr. Tawney left school and became an apprentice in his father's blacksmith shop. He learned the trade and advanced through the grades of the machinist. Until he was 26 years old he worked with his hands at the forge and bench by day, and with his brain, having books for tools, in the early mornings and late at night. The people of Winona, his home city, had known him as a machinist for several years when he left the shop to be admitted to the bar in 1882.

**How's This!**

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Cancer that cannot be cured by Dr. G. F. Franks, Toledo, Ohio. We the undersigned, have known E. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions. We will guarantee to carry out any obligations made by their firm, West & TAYLOR, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, Ohio.

W. A. NEFFAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, Ohio.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the body. Price, 25c per bottle. Sold at all druggists. Estimates free.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Sorting Sweepings in London. The dust-sorting of London is carried on by women who handle the collected refuse at the wharves. Medical men have been trying to prevent women from engaging in this industry, and accordingly the Women's Industrial council has made an investigation of it. The women said they liked the work, and laughed at the idea of its being unhealthy.

**HUMPHREYS'**  
**Witch Hazel Oil****THE PILE OINTMENT.****One Application Gives Relief.**

It cures Fissiles or Hemorrhoids—External or Internal, Blind or Bleeding, Itching or Burning, Fissures and Fistulas. Relieves irritation—cure certain.

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**HUMPHREYS' MED. CO.**  
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**The Engineer**

Leaving from the cab window does more with his ears than his eyes. The "rumble and grumble and roar" of his engine are to him articulate speech, and a false note in that jumble of sounds would catch his ear as quickly as a discord would strike the ear of the leader of an orchestra.

He thinks more of his engine than himself. That is why he neglects to notice symptoms which are full of warning. The foul tongue, the bitter taste, sour risings, and undue fullness after eating are but symptoms of dyspepsia, or some form of disease involving the stomach and organs of

digestion and nutrition. In time the heart, liver, lungs, or other organs are involved and the engineer has to lay off.

The development of the flowers. Owning to a lack of definite information I shall say little on the second division of my subject. The embryo flowers in the apple appear to be nearly or quite as hardy as the leaf-buds, hence the flower-buds rarely winter-kill. When the weather becomes sufficiently warm in spring the buds swell and all of the parts enlarge. The forming flowers in autumn are overtaken by cold weather in all stages of development from those nearly ready to expand to those just beginning to form, hence the flowers on the same tree commonly vary two weeks or more in their time of blooming. The abundant water with which the wood is stocked in spring stimulates an exuberant growth and puts a stop to flower formation in buds in which it has not commenced in autumn. Very rarely this rapid growth causes a flower-bud to revert to a leaf-bud, but this certainly does not often happen in our orchards.

After the flowers have expanded the subject of pollination assumes importance. Prof. Waite's experiments have shown that the varieties of apple are very often sterile, or nearly so, to their own pollen; that is, they will not bear fruit unless they receive pollen from another variety. This fact is of great importance in the planting and top-grafting of orchards. Experiments seem to show also that prolonged rain during the blooming season may injure the virility of pollen, as well as prevent insects from distributing it. A very light frost while the flowers are open is almost certain destruction to the pistils, but there are doubtless causes that affect the virility of the flowers that lie deeper than any I have mentioned, and that are very little understood. We know that the fruit on all trees does not always "set" well, even when weather conditions seem favorable, and that the fruit often drops badly shortly after setting. It is not enough that the stamens shall yield pollen, and that this pollen shall be deposited on the stigma. The pollen, the stigma and the embryo must all be in a healthy condition, or fecundation does not result. These subjects call for much further investigation.

Practical deductions. Let us now consider some of the practical deductions from the foregoing statements. I have often alluded to favorable conditions for flower formation. What are these conditions? They involve the whole environment of the apple tree. Though largely climatic, they are to a considerable extent susceptible to treatment. We must have, first, favorable growth conditions to produce plenty of healthy leaves and buds, and we should remember that all leaves and buds are formed on new growth. This means a moderate temperature, plenty of moisture early in the season, and especially during late autumn and winter, wise pruning and fertilizing, and freedom from injurious parasites. We can promote a moderate temperature by planting on north or northeast slopes, if our country is rolling. By early plowing, we prepare the land to catch and hold the spring rains. If these are scanty, we can keep the surface fine and level to check evaporation; if they are excessive we may keep it rough to prevent washing, and to favor evaporation. Wise pruning promotes normal growth and admits light to the fruit spurs. Normal growth requires that the pruning shall be moderate and regular, that is, performed every year. It does not remove large limbs unless they are diseased, nor does it head back sufficient to start the fruit spurs. It thins out the outer, smaller branches and saves the older wood with its fruit spurs. It is preferably performed early in spring. Wise fertilizing means sufficient nitrogen to promote normal growth in a season of average rainfall, and sufficient phosphoric acid and potash to develop and mature a good crop of apples with its seeds. The problems of fertility must in the nature of the case be largely studied by the orchardist for himself, for no two farms are alike. They call for constant and persistent observation, study and experiment. A few general hints may, however, be given. Unless the soil is known to be very poor, manures should not be applied in large quantities at once. Since growth is desired early in the season stable manures applied early should be well decomposed. As a rule, nitrogen is best given in the form of the so-called cover crops, of which I shall speak later. Wood ashes, where these can be had, will furnish the potash and phosphoric acid.

**A GOOD COUGH MEDICINE FOR CHILDREN.**

"I have no hesitancy in recommending Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," says F. P. Moran, a well known and popular baker, of Petersburg, Va.

"We have given it to our children when troubled with bad coughs, also whooping cough, and it has always given perfect satisfaction. It was recommended to me by a druggist as the best cough medicine for children as it contained no opium or other harmful drug." Sold by H. F. Vortkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

**New Women in Scotland.**

In Scotland where there are no women lawyers a woman is suing the Incorporated Society of Law Agents, which is the Scotch Bar association, to compel the society to admit her to examination so that she may be entitled to practice as a full-fledged attorney.

The society does not seem to care much whether she becomes a lawyer or not. In an answer to her plea, filed with the court, it says that the court had better decide the matter. It does not feel itself called upon either by duty or interest to maintain that women might not be admitted to the practice of law; the society can only state that no woman has hitherto been admitted and that there are certain public offices open to lawyers for which women probably would not be suited. The court is likely to grant the woman's plea.

**What Shall We Have for Desert?**

This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer today. Try Jell-O. It is delicious, nutritious, easily digested. No baking! add hot water and set to cool. Flavors—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. At your grocers. 16cts.

**Stone Used as Barometer.**

The residents of northern Finland use a peculiar stone, which is rather common in that country, as a substitute for a barometer. This stone, which they call Ilmakiuri, turns black or blackish-gray when bad weather is approaching; fine weather has the effect of turning it almost white. The Finns regard the stone with superstitious reverence, but scientists say that its changes in color are due to salts contained in its composition.

**Bon Ami**  
Will clean and remove all stains from the hands. It will not roughen or chap the skin.

Lamps should be kept well filled.

**WOMAN AND HOME****ITEMS OF INTEREST FOR MAIDS AND MATRONS.**

**Don't Wear It Girls.**—The High Collar Spots a Pretty Neck and Induces Cancer—Some Pretty Costumes for the Young Ladies.

**THE HIGH COLLAR SHOULD GO.**

The other day at the hairdresser, says a Philadelphia writer, I could not help noticing how quickly a plain girl was transformed into a very attractive one when her high stiff collar was removed, and the towel folded softly about her neck. She was quite ordinary looking when she took her seat in the chair; but as soon as that soft drapery was put about her throat a whole multitude of pretty lines came tripling merrily forth, and I could hardly take my eyes away from the pretty curves of throat, the dark line of the hair, and the profile.

Now, if she would only wear a soft drapery about her neck, she would be a pleasing picture the whole day long.

But her hair dressed, she immediately clapped on the disfiguring collar and went forth stylish but homely. Not for the world would she do anything that was out of fashion. She would rather smother her neck to the tips of her ears until it looks as if it had met with an accident and been done up in liniment by a surgeon, and over which her chin protrudes like a projecting ledge, than look pretty and unfastidious. She shuts off her circulation, gives herself a red nose, wears ugly marks in her neck, and believes she is looking charming because she is in the style. It is woman's ambition, they say, to be beautiful. But one would not think so by the way they dress. Indeed, it is beauty of a rare order that will rise superior to the dress imposed by fashion and be beautiful in spite of it.

"I used ten bottles of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and several vials of his Pleasant Pellets" a young girl saying she had had a severe attack of rheumatism, says W. T. Thompson of Townsend, Broadwater Co., Montana. "Words fail to tell how thankful I am for the relief, as I have suffered so much and so severely that I have not been able to work at all. Now I weigh 160 and can do a day's work on the farm. I have recommended the medicine to several, and shall always have a good word to say for Dr. Pierce and his medicine."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation.

**Farewell to Bus Nags.**

Electric stages are at last a certainty for Fifth avenue. The ridiculous array of antiquated horseless and time-worn vehicles which has monopolized New York's richest thoroughfare is doomed.

Automobiles carrying twenty-two people outside in it have been ordered from New Haven, and as fast as they are received the decrepit animals now in use will be sent to a home for aged and indigent gray horses. The new stages cost \$5,500 each and develop a surprising rate of speed even with a full load. The New Haven Cab company was the first in the country to use electric vehicles, and the experiment was watched with interest by several stagecoach proprietors. Time and again the Fifth avenue corporation has been petitioned for a more modern service, or at least a fresh coat of paint for the horses and buses. The actual change will rob New York of one of its most cherished institutions. For years visitors have been taken up and down the Fifth avenue stage horses. They have been monuments to the obstinacy of man.

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**AGAINST THE TRAILING SKIRT.**

Emphatic disapproval of the trailing skirt has been heard in recent years from various quarters, but only within the past few months has any organization and definite action been taken to discourage or suppress this unhealthful and offensive fashion.

An anti-trailing league has been formed in London, numbering among its members several high-born women and leaders of fashion in the English metropolis. One of its members, Princess Reuss, has promised through the press to do all that she can to form such a league in Germany, her native country.

**A SMART FROCK.**

A smart party frock which can be executed in nun's veiling of any color, trimmed with beige colored Cluny lace. It has a shaped frill at the bottom of the skirt, and the sleeves and bodice are ornamented with tucks, arranged

material crossing from right to left with a bow of cream-colored satin ribbon and a buckle under the left arm.

There are rows of narrow lace on the sleeves, with puffs at the shoulders and wrists. Both of these gowns will be suitable for summer.

**OUR COOKING SCHOOL.**

**Drop Dumplings.**

Sift one pint of flour with two level teaspoonsful of baking powder and quarter of a teaspoonful of salt. Molt with just enough water to make a soft dough. Drop this dough by tablespoonfuls on top of the stew. Cover and steam for ten minutes, being careful not to lift the cover until dumplings are done.

**Corn Fudding.**

This is nice to serve with roast lamb steak or chops. Either canned or fresh corn may be used. To each quart of corn add the yolks of two eggs beaten light. Two tablespoonsfuls of melted butter, an even teaspoonful of salt, a tablespoonful of sugar, quarter of a teaspoonful of white pepper and the whites of the eggs beaten to a stiff froth. Mix well together and pour into well-buttered pudding dish. Bake in a moderately hot oven until the center of the pudding is firm to the touch.

**Hashed Brown Potatoes.**

Boil the potatoes until they are tender, but not mealy; the waxy potatoes are better than the starchy potato for this purpose. Drain the potatoes and let them get perfectly cold. Chop very fine; season with pepper and salt while chopping. Put just enough fat or cooking oil in a saute pan to keep potatoes from burning. Put in a layer of potatoes about half an inch thick, pressing them down into a smooth, compact mass. Set on the range where they will cook slowly for about fifteen minutes. When a rich, even brown on the bottom, take a flexible knife and fold the potatoes over as you would an omelet; turn out on a hot plate and garnish with a little parsley.

Some girls never discover they have hearts till after they are lost.

pared and painted in amber and white. The surroundings are too exhilarating, and lead him off into lighter themes.

On the other hand, a severely Puritan divine, whose eloquence is all thunderbolts, and who preaches the terrors of the law unrelied by the light of hope and love, is said to write and study in a room floored, ceiled and paneled with the darkest of dark oak, with an indigo-blue paper in the small spaces left vacant on the walls. Doctors and nurses frequently find that irritable and nervous patients are soothed if removed to rooms in which the prevailing colors are pale green or blue.

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Vicissitudes of "Papa" and "Mama" and "Governor" in England.

In our own country "papa" and "mamma" have been in familiar use for some three hundred years at least, says the London Globe. They probably reached us from Italy, where their use was of much older date. Dame uses "mamma" in the "Purgatorio." Words of this kind are often in common and familiar use long before they find their way into the written language of books, so that it would not be easy to say when "papa" and "mamma" were first heard among us, but one of the earliest literary traces of their use is to be found in Lly's "Euphues" (1579), an Italian story crammed with curious verbal absurdities, for the most part copied or imitated from the Italian "fashions" and affectations of the day. From that time instances of the use of one or the other of the words, or of both, are fairly common in literature.

Another familiar and childlike variant is "dad" or "daddy." "Dad" or "tad" as the earlier form is, is a pure Welsh word, and is of great antiquity.

The Lord's Prayer begins in Welsh with the words "Elin Tad," or "Elin Dad," the first word of the phrase meaning "Our." "Dad," with its derivatives "daddy" and "dada," has long been familiar in the mouths of English children. Like "papa," it was doubtless in use many years before literature took note of it; still, it is found more than two centuries ago in a burlesque poem attacking James II. The doggerel contains both "dad" and "dada."

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

## STATE SENATOR.

We are authorized to announce the name of STEPHEN D. CRITES, of Elida, as a candidate for the endorsement of the Allen county Democracy at its April primary, as a candidate for the nomination for State Senator at the district convention.

Please announce the name of J. B. SUNDERLAND as Allen County's candidate for State Senator, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

## REPRESENTATIVE.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. W. MANGES, of Richland township, as a candidate for Representative from Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

## WEBSITE.

We are authorized to announce the name of E. E. WELKER, as a candidate for re-election to the City Council, from the Fourth Ward, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

## CITY COUNCIL.

We are authorized to announce the name of R. C. EASTMAN, of Lima, as a candidate for Representative from Allen County, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

## TAXES.

We are authorized to announce the name of H. H. ROUSH, of Bath township, as a candidate for Representative from Allen County, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

## SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce the name of E. J. BARR, as a candidate for nomination for Sheriff of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of HENRY VAN GUNTEN, as a candidate for Sheriff of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. A. STATES, of Monroe township, as a candidate for nomination for Sheriff of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

## INFIRMARY DIRECTOR.

We are authorized to announce the name of GEORGE A. HEFFNER, of Lima, as a candidate for Infirmary Director, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

We are authorized to announce the name of G. F. GETZ, of Bath township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democracy of Allen county at the primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of ALBERT HEFFNER, of Perry township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democracy of Allen county at the primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of D. S. COTNER, of Jackson township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democracy of Allen county at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of S. H. ARNOLD, of Jackson township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

## TREASURER.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. W. GENSLER as a candidate for nomination for County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Democracy of Allen county at the primary election.

## CORONER.

We are authorized to announce the name of DR. ANDREW BICE, of Lima, as a candidate for nomination for Coroner of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

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FOR MEMBER OF COUNCIL.

We are authorized to announce the name of JOHN W. SHANNAHAN, as a candidate for nomination for second term as Councilman from the First Ward, Lima.

We are authorized to announce the name of MICHAEL DOYLE, as a candidate for member of Council from the First ward.

We are authorized to announce the

name of JACOB J. HAEGE, for member of City Council from Second ward, Lima, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

By request of many friends, please announce the name of JEROME SHINE for Councilman, Second ward, subject to Democratic primary.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. W. HARMON as a candidate for member of the City Council from the Second ward, subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of RICHARD STONE, for member of City Council from the Second ward, Lima, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of G. M. McCULLOUGH, as a candidate for member of Council, from the Third Ward, Lima, subject to the decision of the Democratic primary.

We are authorized to announce the name of E. E. WELKER, as a candidate for re-election to the City Council, from the Fourth Ward, subject to the decision of the Democracy at their primary election.

We are authorized to announce the name of ED. S. MOSES, as a candidate for member of the City Council, from the Fifth Ward, subject to the decision of the Democratic primary election.

I wish to announce, I am a candidate for Council in the 7th Ward, subject to the decision of the Democratic primary. MICHAEL O'NEILL.

We are authorized to announce the name of JACOB KILLIAN, as a candidate for member of Council, from the Third Ward, subject to the decision of the Democratic primary.

The following shall be deemed qualified to vote at said election. (1.) All those who are known to be Democrats. (2.) All those not known to be Democrats who shall state under oath that they voted the Democratic State ticket at the preceding State election. (3.) All those who are not voters who will cast their first vote at the coming April election, who will pledge themselves to vote the entire Democratic ticket. (4.) All Democrats who are entitled to vote at the election of Members of School Board shall be entitled to vote for the nomination of such members at said primary election.

Fifth: Qualified voters shall vote at the ward in which they have legal residence.

Sixth: The Judges and clerks shall keep a correct poll book for said primary election, and a separate book for the nomination of Members of School Board, in the wards in which such members are to be nominated at said primary in each of which shall be recorded the names of every person voting thereon respectively, at said election, and they shall immediately after the close proceed to count the ballots cast thereon and make correct tally sheets of the same showing the exact number of votes cast for each candidate, which tally sheets and poll books shall be signed and sealed up with the ballots cast at said election and the same shall be immediately delivered to the chairman of the Democratic City Central Committee at the assembly room of the court house, where the result shall be made known. Any candidates upon said ticket may be present at the count of said votes, either in person or by one Democratic representative whom he shall empower therefor in writing.

Seventh: The Central Committee will have sufficient number of tickets printed and delivered to the committeeman of each voting precinct. No candidate is allowed to have any tickets printed and no tickets shall be used except such as are authorized by Central Committee.

EIGHT: The candidates must pay their assessments to J. R. FINNELL, the secretary, on or before 7:30 o'clock p. m., of Tuesday, March 22, A. D. 1901, or their names will not appear on the primary tickets.

The above and foregoing was adopted by the City Democratic Central Committee, of Lima, Ohio, at a meeting held March 5, 1901.

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James P. Church, an Aged Veteran  
of the Civil War Dies from  
Dropsy After Three Months  
Illness.

Mrs. Battie Hardin, wife of Sloan  
Hardin, of 891 St. John's avenue, died  
yesterday, death resulting  
from lung trouble, after an illness of  
six months duration. The deceased  
was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs.  
Marion Bacone. She was born in  
Wayne county and lived to attain  
the age of twenty years, two months  
and six days.

The funeral services will be held  
at the residence of the bereaved hus-  
band at 12 o'clock tomorrow. Rev.  
N. M. Miller will conduct the ser-  
vices and the remains will be taken to  
the embalming car to be consigned  
to the final resting place there.

A Civil War Veteran.

James P. Church, a prominent and  
aged resident of Crider'sville, died  
yesterday from dropsy, after an ill-  
ness of three months duration. The  
deceased was aged 80 years. 7 months  
and 21 days, and was a member of  
Company F, 4th regiment, O. V. Cavy-  
lery, in which he served for 18 months.  
He was born in Urbana and leaves  
two sons and two daughters, one of  
the latter being Mrs. S. M. Fletcher,  
at west Kirby street. The funeral  
services will be conducted by Rev.  
Johnberry at the M. E. church, at  
Crider'sville, tomorrow afternoon at  
1 o'clock. Interment will be made in  
the Lutheran cemetery.

**SECOND WARD**

County Primary for the Selection of  
Delegates.

The Democratic primary for the  
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White, Freshwater, Trout,  
Smelts, Catfish,  
Herring, Eggs, Oysters,  
Codfish, Holland Herring, Mackeral,  
Sardines, Holland Herring, Mackeral,  
Smoked, Haddies, Herring.

**DELPHOS**

Working to Put a Company in the  
Second Regiment.

A paper is in circulation to receive  
signatures of those wishing to be  
one member of a military company,  
says the Delphos Herald.

Only young men of good moral  
character are desired, as it is the  
intention of the promoters to make it a  
social organization, with spacious  
quarters, a reading room, gymna-  
sium, &c., and the state will pay the  
expenses. If about seventy-five men  
can be secured Col. J. I. Ream,  
of Lima, commanding the Second Ohio  
regiment, will come to Delphos and  
explain to the prospective mem-  
bers at a meeting that will be called.  
Signatures will be taken by King  
Leeve, J. W. Fisher or Art. Foster.

Col. Ream needs two companies and  
as bad applications from six for  
membership. He will wait, however,  
until he is desirous of having a company  
located in Delphos.

S. J. Baumann has opened a "Three  
Cent" restaurant at 404 north Main  
street, which promises to become very  
popular, it being the only one of its  
kind in the city.

The state board of public works  
was in session today, says the Colum-  
bus Press Post.

Mr. Huffman, the member from  
Lima, presented a report in regard to  
the proposed settlement of the state's  
judgment of \$100,000 against the  
Manhattan Oil company. An attempt  
will be made to settle the claim.

Bids were opened for construction  
of dams at Defiance and Independence  
on the northern division of the Ohio  
canal.

Prof. Hufford, of Ada, will lecture  
in the township house at Lafayette on  
Saturday evening of this week and  
Supt. C. A. Graham has issued invitations  
to his friends throughout the  
county to attend.

Recently so much pigeon stealing  
has been carried on throughout the  
city that Harry Johnson is contem-  
plating the construction of a thief  
trap at the pigeon house, where he has  
a splendid and valuable number of  
birds.

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handsome pair of fine pigeons to a  
tanner at Anita, Iowa.

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work, which he holds to be of a spiritual  
character.

**PROGRAMME**

Of the Missionary Society Concert  
Tomorrow Night.

The Woman's Missionary society of  
the First Baptist church will give the  
following program at the church to-  
morrow evening, Mar. 15th. Subject,  
"The Red Men of the West." Mrs. W.  
L. Parmeister, leader.

PROGRAM.

Scripture reading..... President  
Prayer..... "Work for the Night's Coming".

"North American Indians".

"Indian Government".

"Mrs. W. E. Parmenter

"Indian Government".

"Mrs. E. Rittenour

"Song—Selected".

"Mrs. L. R. Longsworth

"Baptists and the Indians".

"Miss M. Hoffman

"The Dying Indian Girl".

"Mrs. A. Tompkins

"Indian Music".

"Mrs. W. E. Parmenter

"Music—An Indian Tale".

"Mrs. McDonald

"Women Work Among the Indians".

"Mrs. J. Deere

"Indian Funerals".

"Mrs. Shannon

"Rough Riders".

"Mrs. Daniel Shantz and McDonald"

"One Little I Jim".

"Mrs. Nellie Potter

"Indian Thanksgiving".

"Miss Hattie Coldren

"Indian Lullaby".

"Mrs. McWhirter

"Song—Selected".

"Miss Ethel Hooper

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Hawesville, Ky.

F. I. S. H. at Townsend's.

**TEN**

Per Cent Reduction  
Asked for

The Outlook

At Columbus is Report-  
ed Favorably.

Committee of Ten Does Good  
Work and Finds One  
Antagonist.

The Lima Delegation Arrived in the  
Capital City, One Hundred and  
Ten Strong, at Ten O'clock  
This Morning.

The special train on which the dele-  
gation of Lima citizens went to Co-  
lumbus today to enter protest before  
the State Board of Equalization  
against the ten per cent increase in  
the valuation of the property for taxa-  
tion in this city, left the Erie depot  
at 7:30 o'clock this morning with one  
hundred and ten representative  
citizens on board. The train  
was in charge of conductor  
Burgess and engineer Gaston and  
made an excellent run, landing the  
party in the capital city at 10 o'clock  
Monday. The battle will now be be-  
tween Fondulac, Ravenswood, Kenton,  
and Steven's Point teams. The first  
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cake and coffee. This will be followed  
by an excellent program, subject be-  
ing the "Red Man of the West." The  
sum of 15 cents will be charged at the  
door. Every one welcome.

ALLEN'TH DISH.

Dilled crabs and their shells to  
serve them in can be had at Irwin's,  
25 cents for can and shells. Try  
them.

A RIDE FOR LIFE.

Manager Jeff D. Bernstein promises  
theatre-goers this season a production  
in "A Ride for Life" that will, for  
magnitude, wonderful scenic effects  
and mechanical devices be a revela-  
tion in stage offerings. He is select-  
ing a company from the foremost  
players to present the different char-  
acters in the play, including the popular  
young comedian, Mr. Ross Snow  
and the charming soubrette, Miss Carrie  
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**PERSONAL.**

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. McGuire, of  
Waynesfield, spent a couple of days at  
Lima.

Miss Hazel McGuire and Miss Lizzie  
Swallow, of Waynesfield, accom-  
panied by Mr. William Smith, spent  
Sunday with friends and relatives of  
South Lima.

Mr. George Daniels has returned  
from Butler, Ind., where she was called  
several weeks ago by the death of her  
father.

Attorney G. L. Marble, of Van  
Wert, was in the city last night.

B. S. Porter will leave tomorrow  
morning for Cincinnati to attend the  
annual meeting of the stockholders of  
the John Church company.

**SECOND**

Regiment Basket Ball Team Has a  
Chance to Win.

The Co. I, Second regiment basket  
ball team of Kenton, now playing a  
series of games at Chicago for the  
national championship, are still in a  
good position to win first place, hav-  
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**EIGHT BELLS.**

"Eight Bells" will be presented at  
the opera house, this evening.  
There is no villain in Byrne Brothers'  
rejuvenated "Eight Bells," but there is  
plenty of fun, trick scenery, good  
music and clever specialties. The  
piece has been seen here so often that  
little need be said in praise of its  
many excellent features. All the  
former successes in the way of trick  
effects are retained and many new  
things added. It still presents the  
great revolving ship scene, the trick  
wagon, the hustling octopus, the weird  
trunk, doors and chairs, and numerous  
new features. Incidentally a number of  
pleasing specialties are introduced.

No matter how long you have had  
the cough; if it hasn't already developed  
into consumption, Dr. Wood's Nor-  
way Pine Syrup will cure it.

**MAN-O-LAS, something new  
in Olives, at Dimond Bros.  
only.**

May Have the Band and  
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We have a limited supply  
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**FINDLAY**

May Have the Band and  
Mandolin Club

But the Lima Woodmen are Satis-  
fied With a Team That Can  
Win the Money.

**A CHALLENGE**

## WHAT IS CHARIS?

A dull, throbbing pain, accompanied by a sense of tenderness and heat low down in the side, with no occasional shooting pain, indicates inflammation. On examination it will be found that the region of pain shows some swelling. This is the first stage of ovaritis, inflammation of the ovaries. If the rest of your body is well, you know, you have it at once; why not pay the same respect to your own body?

You need not, you ought not to let yourself go, when one of your own sex holds out the helping hand to you, and will advise you without money, and without price. Write to Mrs. Pincham, Lynn, Mass., and tell her all your symp-



MRS. ANNA ASTOR.

ptoms. Her experience in treating female ill is greater than any other living person. Following is a letter from a woman who is thankful for avoiding a terrible operation.

I was suffering to such an extent from ovarian trouble that my physician thought an operation would be necessary.

"Lida E. Pincham's Vegetable Compound having been recommended to me, I decided to try it. After using several bottles I found that I was cured. My entire system was toned up, and I suffered no more with my ovaries!"—MRS. ANNA ASTOR, Troy, Mo.

AN ATTORNEY'S SARCASM.  
He Easily Nullified the Judgment of an "Expert."

One of the older members of the bar tells this anecdote of the late Senator Wallis, as illustrating the cleverness and sarcasm of Mr. Wallis, says the Baltimore Sun. Mr. Wallis was defending the will of a wealthy testator, and, as the lawyers say when the estate is large a lawyer "will wrestle with a will with a will." A prominent physician was called to testify for those contesting the will. The doctor became restless under the lengthy and exhaustive cross-examination of Mr. Wallis, and finally he petulantly exclaimed: "Oh, Mr. Wallis, I believe the testator was insane!" Mr. Wallis kept his temper and said quietly: "Doctor, you are the first person who has ever intimated to me or our court that the testator was insane. Why do you say he was insane?" "I believe," the doctor replied, "that every man is more or less insane on some one subject." Is it your deliberate professional opinion?" Mr. Wallis then asked, "expressed here in court under oath, that every man is more or less insane on some one subject?" "Yes," the doctor replied, "I will say here under oath that from my reading, knowledge and experience I believe that every man is more or less insane on some one subject." Then Mr. Wallis said, in that firm tone of sarcasm for which he was noted: "Doctor, has it ever occurred to you that you are insane on the subject of insanity?" Immediately the doctor fired up and exclaimed: "But, Mr. Wallis, I am not insane." Mr. Wallis arose and said: "Doctor, according to your own sworn theory, you must be insane on some subject. I pronounce you insane on the subject of insanity." Court, jury and spectators laughed aloud, and nothing more was said about the testator being insane.

Mr. J. W. Patterson, night police at Nashua, La., says: "In January I had a very bad cold on my lungs, and used half a dozen different cough medicines and prescriptions from two doctors, but grew worse all the time. I finally bought a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar and after using two-thirds of it, I was entirely cured."

H. F. Vortkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

## A Millionaire's Helplessness.

W. K. Vanderbilt's million-dollar yacht called at Savannah, Ga., recently, being nearly out of coal, 700 tons of which were waiting to be put on board. Rain was falling heavily that day and the negro laborers could not be induced to put the coal into the hold. In vain did the captain storm. All ship owners looked alike to the colored men, who refused to work until the sun shone out some time next day.

## NIGHT WAS HER TERROR.

"I would cough nearly all night long," writes Mrs. Chas Applegate, of Alexandria, Ind., "and could hardly get any sleep. I had consumption so bad that if I walked a block I would cough frightfully and spit blood, but when all other medicines failed, three bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery wholly cured me and I gained 58 pounds." It's absolutely guaranteed to cure coughs, colds, influenza, bronchitis and all throat and lung troubles. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free at H. F. Vortkamp's drug store, cor. Main and North streets.

## FOR BOYS AND GIRLS.

## SOME GOOD STORIES FOR OUR JUNIOR READERS.

The Canada Otter Is Probably Doomed to Extinction in New England at Least.—The Entrance to His Burrow is Under Water.

Like Gran'ma Used to Do.—I tell you what, I'm goin' back; I'm sorry at I came; Th' way you treat a little boy like me is just a shame! You shake me an' you scol' me, an' you never kiss me, too. Er ever take me on your lap? Like gran'ma used to do!

Jus' 'cause I take a cookie or a spoon o' jam er so, Er try the tarts a-cookin' in th' winder in a row.

You whop me 'stead o' smilin'—never say, "Take one er two."

That 'all sich things is made fer boys'—Like gran'ma used to do!

Jus' 'cause I ketch a chicken er teach Tabby how to swim, Er tie a string on Rover's ear an' ride aroun' on him, You jaw me 'stead o' sayin' that you really never knew.

A boy so fond o' animals'—Like gran'ma used to do!

Jus' 'cause I go a-fishin' in th' trough behin' th' barn, An' use a cane an' button-hook an' some o' your red yarn, You shake me 'stead o' bringin' me an apple, mabebe two'—An' tellin' me to "persevere"—Like gran'ma used to do!

I'm goin' back to-morrer where I'm alwas treated good. Cause you don't love a little boy th' way you really should; You never git me nothin' nice, or call me "dearie" too.

Er tell me I'm a "comfort"—Like gran'ma used to do!

Francis W. Sterns.

## The Canada Otter.

The Canada otter is another of the animals probably doomed to extinction in New England, at least. In its own beautiful coat it carries its death warrant, and the greed of man and the vanity of woman have supplied the executioners. The otter sleeps in the shadow of a steel trap, and swims with a shotgun in its wake. Were he prolific, like the Norway rat, he might survive even under these conditions, but he is not. The Canada otter has but one litter of young each year, and there are usually but two or three young to a litter. The consequence is that the animal has already been exterminated in many places, and is now quite rare in most parts of New England. If you can imagine a very, very thick snake, between four and five feet long, mounted on four short, stumpy legs, with webbed feet, with a roundish head, and short ears, and covered all over with dark, glossy brown hair, you will have some idea of what a Canada otter looks like. He is not quite the same color all over, as the under parts are usually a shade lighter than the upper, and the chin and throat are a dirty white. Under the long, glossy hair, which covers almost the whole body, is a fine, soft, waterproof fur, nearly equal to that of the beaver. He also has a stiff, bristly mustache. His home is usually in a burrow in the bank of the pond or stream he inhabits, with the entrance under the water. It is often protected by being made among the roots of an overhanging tree, and is generally safe from rains and floods. The nest consists of an abundant supply of grass, leaves, soft bark and sticks, and several others often occupy the same nest. In the northern states and Canada the young are born about the middle of April, but in the middle and southern states they often appear a month earlier. The otter feeds chiefly on fish, which he pursues through the water with marvelous speed and agility. Occasionally he may be seen rising wet and shining from the river with a fish in his mouth. Sometimes he will come out upon the shore to eat his prey, or, if there is the half submerged trunk of a fallen tree lying in the stream, he is likely to crawl up on to that. Though the otter is well supplied with teeth, the severe tests to which he puts them wear them out in time. In the young the canines often project beyond the lips, but in old specimens all the teeth are found to be very much worn, sometimes down to the gums.

But the life of the otter is not all work by any means. He is naturally of a playful disposition, and though the patent reports may not show it, he is the inventor of the toboggan. Tobogganing has always been his favorite sport, and he sometimes indulges in it for hours at a time. For this game he and his companions select a high snow-covered bank. Up this they toll until they reach the top. As the first one arrives he turns round, lies down, bends his fore legs backwards, gives himself a push with his hind feet, and away he goes down the hill, "bellyhoppers," as the boys call it. He is followed by a second, third, and a fourth, in rapid succession, and when they have once got the hill packed, they "keep the pot a-boiling" until they are too tired or too hungry to play the game any longer. In the southern states, where snowbanks are not to be found, they make their slides of wet mud, and seem to enjoy the fun just as much.

The habit of the animal is taken advantage of by trappers, who sometimes set steel traps near the bottoms of slides for the frivolous merrymakers to get their feet into. Others set traps on the submerged parts of slanting logs which lie in the streams, and as the otters attempt to climb out of the water they are caught.

Young otters are easily tamed and are said to make faithful and interesting pets. In Sweden and other parts of Europe they have been kept in captivity and trained to catch fish for their master.—E. H. Baynes.

## ARTHUR'S NATURAL HISTORY.

Of all the dangerous animals which a boy can meet at night coming home from the grocery, a rhinoceros is the worst. Without the slightest warning, and with anger terrible to see, the rhinoceros will charge him and catch him on his horn and assassinate him for no other cause than that he is a boy and has perhaps been throwing stones at a cat. If the rhinoceros were as plentiful in this country now as 2,000 years ago, the loss of human life would be something awful.

There was a time in America when a woman could not go to the kitchen door to shake a tablecloth without seeing a rhinoceros standing around. They went about in great droves, plowing up the ground with their horns and fighting everything that came in their way, and only the elephant could stand before them. If the weather hadn't changed they would be here yet. It got so that it was winter about half the time, and fearing that if he stayed around he would have to shovel snow, the rhino packed up and went off to Africa. He is not a happy animal in his native state. Some one called his father a liar before he was born, and he goes around trying to find out who it was and ready to lick anybody who says good morning to him. It makes him mad to think he can't climb like a monkey or run like a zebra, and every time he sees an ostrich doing a cakewalk tears of rage gather in his eyes. He gets up mad and goes to bed ugly, and it is no wonder he has no friends. Many of the natives of Africa perish every year on the horns of the rhinoceros. They go walking along reading their Bibles or singing gospel hymns, all unsuspecting of danger, and the first thing they know they are spit on the horns of a rhino and become angels. No matter how good a native is or how many wives and children he has to support, the rhinoceros will not spare him. Like an avenging demon, he stalks in some dark thicket and at the proper moment springs out, with a fierce cry, and the bloody deed is done. The rhinoceros in a state of captivity is just as bad as when he is free. You may feed him on Bartlett pears and cut loaf sugar but you cannot win his gratitude. If his keeper scratches his back with a stick, he will hump it up and seem to bestow his affection, but he cannot be trusted. Just as soon as he gets the keeper around to the right spot he will take his hit without giving him one hour to repent of his sins. There have been keepers who have whispered words of cheer and friendship into the ears of the rhino and others who have walloped him with a baseball bat and stabbed him with a pitchfork, but it was all the same to the animal. I have drawn a picture of the rhinoceros as you will find him in his African home. He is about to charge upon a native village and rend his horn with the blood of the guilty and innocent alike. When a boy stands before a rhino in captivity, he should not feel hard toward him. The rhino was born that way and can't help it. He was neither made for an elephant nor a hippopotamus, and it must worry him all day long as he ponders over it. It may be that way down in his heart somewhere he has a store of affection and that some day a keeper will discover it with pick axe, and therefore we ought to use him well and hope for the best. I have forgotten to say that when a rhino charges an innocent village the ground trembles beneath his foot, and all nature cries out in alarm, while the dead and wounded people make up such a hideous picture of slaughter that strong men have to turn away their heads and women fling themselves down and weep. Let us all be glad that we are not rhinoceroses.

Artist and Painter.

Among the many stories of Sir Frederick Leighton, the great artist, the following account of one of his holiday rambles is given. He noticed a sign-board being rudely painted by a local artist. The man, after a few moments, remarked that it was a fine day. Leighton agreed, adding that a figure on the sign-board was out of proportion.

"Where be it out?" asked the aggrieved workman. "I'm thinking you have something wrong in your sight." "If you'll get off that ladder I'll put it right for you," replied the R. A. good humoredly. "Aye, but can ye paint?" queried the other, doubtfully. "Ye know, I don't want my work spilt." "It's all right; I've done considerable painting in my time," answered Leighton, as the other clambered down the ladder. Then, taking the pallet, he climbed up and commenced to paint, and did not stop until he had completed the sign board. "Well, that's not so bad," was the rural workman's comment. "Art is not so paying now. Still, if ye like to do more work for me, I'll give ye more than I do as a rule." "Thanks," replied Leighton. "My name is Leighton." "Very pleased to know you, Mr. Leighton," replied the man, ignorant of what the name meant. "My name is Tam,"—YOUTH'S Companion.

Land and Water Center.

If the world be divided into land and water hemispheres, London is the center of the land, New Zealand of the water.

## PRISON ISLAND.

St. Helena Adapted by Nature for Its Present Uses.

In the old days—not good old days—when East Indians went round the Cape, St. Helena was a great port of call and of revictualing. It was prosperous then, and when in 1815 Napoleon the Great came there as a prisoner its prosperity was at its zenith. The government had no control over it. The island belonged to the East India company and it was only by arrangement with the board of directors that it could have been used as a place of deportation for the mighty emperor. Why was it so well fitted for the purpose? It is in mid-ocean—1,600 and more miles from any continent. Its coast rises up in precipitous rock from the ocean. Escape, save at the risk of a broken neck, would be almost impossible. Only at one place—Jamestown, on the northeastern coast—could any boat hope to land, and even there only if the elements are kind. This is not always so. There is the roller season. Great rollers come in from the south Atlantic, and often for days there can be little or no communication between the anchored vessel and the rough steps at the end of an embarkation quay. What St. Helena was between 1815 and 1821 it is now, a safe prison. But its prosperity is gone. No one goes there unless compelled by necessity. Once a month a Castle Union steamer calls for a few hours, lands and takes off the mails, discharges one or two officials or receives them homeward bound, and that is all. Thus did some casual travelers come to visit the other day. The governor was at the castle—a kindly Indian civil servant, certainly, ruling his little island on a moderate salary. There was a half battalion of West Indian troops under Major Westmoreland—splendid fellows in gaudy trappings—and a few gunners. How wistfully they looked at the travelers!

The return or back flow of the blood is prevented by the valves of the heart, which are most adequately designed for the purpose. The sounds of the heart beat on listening over the cardiac region of the chest are due to the action of these valves, in addition to which the "first" sound is also partially due to the muscular contraction of the ventricle walls. The habitual use of alcohol or other drugs that stimulate the heart tend to do harm, because they increase the strain upon the heart and lead to its hypertrophy. Proper physical exercise, on the other hand, is beneficial and tends to improve the tone and condition of the heart.

They Assist Whitemen, Lynchers, Raizers and Other Lawbreakers.

One who thinks "our best people" have an easy time of it is mistaken, says the Chicago Journal. They are always up and doing. The man who reads the newspaper will readily understand that. And they are usually doing those things that they ought not to be doing. Indeed, according to all accounts, "our best people" busy themselves principally with other people's business. Surely everyone must have noticed that the recent

## DR. SENECA'S LECTURE.

## Physiology and Hygiene—The Circulation.

Dr. Seneca Egbert delivered the first lecture of his course on "Physiology and Hygiene" in the lecture hall at the Academy one evening recently. He devoted his attention to the circulation, relationship of heart and blood vessels, etc., and said, in part:

The circulation of the blood is maintained continuously, and for the most part by the action of the heart, which is a physiological force pump, but the elasticity of the arterial walls, muscular contractions and respiratory aspiration all assist in keeping up the onward flow. The current is slower in the capillaries than in the arteries and veins because of the increased friction in the former, and because the combined sectional area of the capillaries is much greater than that of either arteries or veins. The slower flow of blood through the capillaries prolongs the physiological interchange and action of the blood as it passes through them. The high blood pressure in the arteries is due to the frictional resistance in the individual capillaries and to the overfullness of the vessels. These factors in turn convert the intermittent injection and flow of blood from the heart into the arteries into a steady flow without pulse in the capillaries. The pulse volume is from 2 to 7 fluid ounces. If 3½ fluid ounces, the entire blood of the body will pass through the heart in about fifty beats, or in less than one second. Hence the rapidity with which a person may bleed to death when a large artery is cut.

The return or back flow of the blood is prevented by the valves of the heart, which are most adequately designed for the purpose. The sounds of the heart beat on listening over the cardiac region of the chest are due to the action of these valves, in addition to which the "first" sound is also partially due to the muscular contraction of the ventricle walls. The habitual use of

alcohol or other drugs that stimulate the heart tend to do harm, because they increase the strain upon the heart and lead to its hypertrophy. Proper physical exercise, on the other hand, is beneficial and tends to improve the tone and condition of the heart.

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## DOOM OF ICE MAN.

Anhydrous Ammonia Machine Develops Into a Household Utility.

While ice combinations are forming, and independent concerns are springing up here and there, to compete for the patronage of the household during the months when the mercury locates itself near the top of the thermometer, the inventors are busy trying to solve the question of refrigeration in a way that will break the hold of the ice man and make the preservation of perishable articles of food possible by a less sloopy and troublesome method than that of the present. The search for this process has been persistent ever since the anhydrous ammonia ice machine demonstrated its success and became indispensable in breweries and cold storage warehouses. The difficulty in the path of inventors was that of power.

The ammonia could be used to produce cold in household ice boxes, but this would not be economical unless provision were made for the condensation of the ammonia after it had lowered the temperature by rapid evaporation.

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Some of our best people" were not involved in it. They seem to be most persistently busy all the time and the ordinary, prosaic, matter-of-fact, law-abiding citizen has reason to be thankful that he does not get mixed up with them. According to present indications the term will soon be one of reproach, and to shoot a man for calling you "one of our best people" will be justifiable homicide.

Washington, D. C. Genesee Pure Food Co., Le Roy, N. Y.

Gentlemen—Our family rating so much

say a word to induce others to use it. If

you are interested in the field of

ice making, you will find it

in other beverage, I have used them all, but

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## ORDER

Is Issued by Judge Cunningham

## Stops the City

Temporarily from the Collection

Of the Special Assessments Against East High Street Property.

Attorneys Leete & Brotherton and Richie, Leland & Roby Begin the Injunction Proceedings.

This morning attorneys Leete & Brotherton and Richie, Leland & Roby, on behalf of the owners of property abutting on the line of the east high street paving improvement, filed a petition in common pleas court to have the city of Lima restrained from the collection of the special assessments that were recently levied against the property mentioned for the payment of the paving of the street from Main street to the right of way of the D. & L. N. railroad. The issuance of a temporary restraining order was granted by Judge Cunningham and the action was set for its hearing on March 22, at 10 o'clock a.m.

The action commenced by the two law firms is the result of the allowance by the city council of a heavy bill of extras that was submitted by the contractors, Spyker & O'Brien. The petition that was filed this morning names Milton C. Craig, F. A. Holland, Robert Hill, Loren Starnes, James Porter, Adam W. Wilmot, John Moyer, George W. Moyer, Lloyd E. Kepner, Charles L. Lauz, C. C. Sheppard, W. D. Mitchell, C. A. Jackson, Grace Catz, G. E. Copeland et al, as the plaintiffs and the city of Lima, the city council and city clerk, C. E. Lynch are the defendants. The petition is very lengthy, being type-written upon fourteen pages and contains, among others, the following allegations: That about one hundred owners of property abutting on the line of the improvement have a common interest in the subject matter of the action; that the contract for the construction of the improvement was awarded to Spyker & O'Brien, who were, by the terms of the contract, required to use Townsend paving block of a certain standard of quality that was provided for in the specifications but that the brick used were not uniform in texture, were not all of the maximum degree of hardness and were not all annealed as to reach the ultimate degree of toughness, and that many of them were soft, crumbly, and imperfect and unfit to be put into the said improvement.

The plaintiffs further aver that in the preparation and construction of the improvement the contractors did not make the crushed stone foundation to the depth of eight inches as required by the contract and did not spread the crushed stone in three separate courses nor give each course separate weatings and rollings.

The cost of the improvement was \$25,541.57, and the plaintiffs aver that was wrongfully included in that sum was a large sum for crushed stone; that the sum wrongfully included the value of paving block of the kind and quality required by the contract and wrongfully included a large bill of extras in the sum of \$662.39.

Attorney Brotherton in order not to be prejudiced in the above action filed a separate petition praying for a restraining order to prevent the collection of the assessments against two lots owned by him on the street, and this order was also granted.

## TOMORROW

The Funeral of Mrs. Emma Carmichael Will be Held.

The remains of Mrs. Emma Carmichael, whose death occurring at Marion, O., was announced yesterday, arrived here over the Erie at 11:33 o'clock today and were removed to the home of the deceased's sister, Mrs. J. B. Latham, 140½ south Main street, where the funeral services will be held tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock. Rev. Mills will officiate and interment will be made in Woodlawn cemetery.

Parties wanting a loan or to renew their old loan at the very lowest rate, will make money by calling on C. H. Folsom.

## WEDDING

Of a Former Limeite is Announced.

William C. Baum is to be Married in Kansas.

The A. O. T. Club Delightfully Entertained by Mrs. Henry Seegers—Other News of Society's Realm.

The following wedding invitations were received here yesterday by a number of Lima people:

Rev. William Christian Baum To Florence Lee Joseph, Whitewater, Kansas,

Wednesday evening, March 20th, Nineteen Hundred and One.

At German Reformed Church.

Yesterday afternoon Mrs. Henry Seegers, of north Metcalf street, was the hostess for the A. O. T. club and a number of friends. Seven tables being filled with ladies, who enjoyed a round of progressive posture. Mrs. D. S. Carpenter was fortunate in securing the first prize, a dainty piece of point lace. Miss West winning the second, a bit of brick-a-brack. Supper was served and enjoyed after the interesting game.

Friday evening, the missionary society of the First Baptist church will serve a supper at the church, and then follow with an interesting program.

The following cards were issued yesterday:

189 Ruth Parmenter at home Friday, March Fifteenth. 4 to 7.

Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Eversole, of north Pierce street, were at home to a congenial party of friends, in a contest at cards. Mrs. Louis Full and Mr. Charles Herbst were the trophy winners.

Last evening Carl Thomas, of west Spring street was given a merry surprise party to celebrate the fifteenth anniversary of his birth. Music, games and a general good time was enjoyed.

Monday evening Mrs. A. Harrod was the hostess for the Sorosis club, who surprised her by presenting her many tokens of esteem, because it was one of her birthday anniversaries. The principal gift being one which all joined in giving a pretty salad dish.

The Misses Hersberg, will entertain the Whist club tomorrow evening.

### AFTER EFFECT OF GRIP

Are Often More Serious Than the Grip Itself.

Physicians and grip sufferers alike are agreed that the after effects of the disease are more to be feared than the actual attack; you can never be sure that the disease has left the system completely.

La Grippe naturally attacks the weakest organ and leaves it still weaker.

Not only pneumonia, consumption, bronchitis and throat trouble follows the grip, but kidney, liver and stomach are troubles just as liable to result, provided any of these organs should happen to be in a weak condition at the time of attack.

To get rid of the grip germs, to get it entirely out of the system and blood, few remedies are so good and none safer than Stuart's Catarrh Tablets; they are not a compound of powder and dangerous drugs, but a pleasant, palatable, convenient remedy in tablet form, composed of the wholesome antiseptic principles of Eucalyptus bark, blood root and similar germicide remedies which are perfectly wholesome and harmless to the system, but deadly to the germs of grip, catarrh, consumption and diseases of the throat and air passages.

Mrs. Chas. Gormley, of Memphis, says: "Last winter an attack of the grip left me with weak back, a persistent cough and loss of flesh and appetite and after using various remedies for several months with little or no improvement, I finally bought a 50 cent package of Stuart's Catarrh Tablets at my drug store and as they were pleasant and convenient to take, I used them at all times of day or night and I was astonished to secure such fine results from so pleasant and convenient a medicine. In two weeks my cough disappeared, my appetite returned. I improved in flesh and color and no one would now think that I ever had such a thing as the grip."

"My druggist told me he sold more of Stuart's Catarrh Tablets for the cure of grip, colds and catarrh, than any other similar medicines."

If you want money at the lowest rate of interest to build a new house, call on C. H. Folsom.

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## PINS

### And Links from the Railroads.

### On to Missouri

### Dispatcher Packard Will Soon Start

### To Take a Course of Treatment in an Asteopathic School.

Report is Out That the "Q" is Again Taking the Scalps of Order Men and Trouble May Result.

Train dispatcher Packard, of the C. H. & D., has not been well for some time and expects to get relief by taking treatment at the Missouri school of osteopathy. He will make an extended trip also, going to Beaumont, Texas, where he has a brother-in-law, who is general manager of 2,000 acres of prospective oil lands, receiving a salary of \$5,000 a year. Packard expects to see something of the country, as his relative has transportation over 37 different lines. With such a chance to hunt up changes of climate, Packard ought to get his digestive apparatus in shape without having his body hammered every day by the osteopathic doctors at Kirkville.

Saw the Show.

Fred Issleib returned today from a visit with friends in Chicago, says the Huntington News-Democrat. His trip was for business and pleasure combined. While in Chicago one night in company with M. Burgess, the popular Erie conductor, Mr. Issleib visited the Great Northern theater, where Robert Fitzsimmons was showing. All the seats were sold, and it was a case of stand or get something fixed. Issleib was equal to the occasion. He took Burgess up to the head usher and, before Burgess knew what was happening, had introduced him as the secretary of the state of Ohio. After making some inquiries concerning the manner in which the prize fight muddle in Ohio was straightened out, an arrangement was made by the usher whereby Issleib and the secretary occupied one of the best seats in the house.—Marion, Ohio. Exchange.

Don't Like the Brotherhood.

Considerable excitement prevails in Chicago, Burlington & Quincy circles over the discharge of a number of engagemenents here and in Quincy and it is represented that others are under investigation. The discharged men represent that they were discharged because they joined the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and Firemen and claim that some of them were allowed no hearing. It is claimed that 100 firemen are liable to be discharged for a similar reason. The brotherhood men are not thoroughly enough organized to resist the company's action, and the company has enough extra men to supply their places.—Galveston Journal.

A Forgotten Law.

The first breath of the next campaign was heard here today, when Attorney-General Sheets resurrected a forgotten statute and brought suit to enforce the penalty of \$1,000 on railroad companies who employ conductors who have not had at least two years experience in running a train. The Big Four is the defendant company, and it is charged with having had Daniel Creamer in its employ since 1890 as passenger conductor, said Creamer having had no experience in this line previous to his employment. The law under which the suit was brought was passed by the legislature at the instance of the Order of Railway Conductors, and General Sheets' action is probably designed as a test of the constitutionality of the law.

Kayler's Successor.

A delegation of 25 or 30 railroad men of Columbus called upon Governor Nash Tuesday afternoon and urged him to appoint S. A. Stack as successor to H. T. Kayler, the present state commissioner of railroads, whose term expires. Mr. Stack is at present yardmaster for the Big Four, and is held in very high esteem by all who know him.

White Light Must Go.

At a request of engineers bills have been introduced in some of the state legislatures providing for the prohibition of the use of white light for signals.

A white light under the present code of signals indicates safety. The red light is the danger signal on all roads to indicate caution.

The reason the engineers want the

use of the white light prohibited is that when the glass in a switch light is broken any of the signal lights show white, indicating safety. If white were abolished and some other color substituted if a glass in a signal lamp were broken the appearance of a white signal would indicate a damaged signal.

Some of the roads have abolished white as a switch signal. The B. & O. and Chicago and Northwestern use only green and red, the former for safety and the latter for danger.

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A large colored plate, giving a bird's eye view of the Pan-American exposition, has been hung up in the L. E. & W. waiting room, and furnishes an excellent idea of the magnificent scale on which the grounds have been laid out.

H. E. Proctor, of Paris, Tenn., accepted a position at the L. E. & W. shops.

N. E. Shaw, foreman of the back yards at the car shops, is unable to work, owing to quite a severe illness.

James O'Brien, who had his foot crushed at the L. E. & W. machine shops some time ago, resumed his duties yesterday.

Bert Crossen, having recovered from the effects of a badly lacerated finger, is at work again, at the L. E. & W. machine shops.

Rosco Dalzell, the veteran blacksmith, at the car shops, is off duty on account of illness.

Charles Mowery, an L. E. & W. car repairer, is confined to his home by sickness.

REV. MITCHELL

is Doing Good Work in the Burkettsville Revival.

Rev. J. D. Lawrence, pastor of the church of Christ at Burkettsville, was here yesterday got the consent of the official board of the South Side church of Christ to allow their minister, Rev. Clarence Mitchell, to remain at Burkettsville over Sunday, where Mr. Mitchell is preaching in a revival with about 50 additions in one week. 31 additions in two nights. Those uniting, Rev. Lawrence reports, are nearly all heads of families.

GO TO DAYTON.

The Antioch Shrine club of Lima, will leave for Dayton tomorrow, Friday, March 15, at 9:20 o'clock. They will have a special car on the regular train, No. 1.

THE ADDRESS

Of Rev. Christian Should be Heard by Everybody in Lima.

Let the lovers of liberty, of justice and of fair play, turn out tomorrow evening, and listen to an educated negro discuss the negro question. Nothing grander can be said of an individual, than, that he was a just judge. No one can form a just estimate of the negro situation, unless it is looked at from every view point.

The Rev. Christian is able to discuss the question intelligently and without prejudice, defend his race.

"The Black Man Burden," being of vital interest to Americans at the opera house, Friday, Mar. 15, 1901.

The Harmonic club will render a program. This is a musical organization composed of Lima's best colored talent. Tickets now on sale at Vorckamp's drug store; Y. M. C. A. building and box office. Proceeds for the benefit of Baptist church. Prices 50, 35 and 25 cents.

Years of suffering relieved in a night. Itching plus yield at once to the curatives of Dean's Ointment. Never fails. At any drug store, 50 cents.

2 cans good Tomatoes 15¢ at Dimond Bros.

NOTICE MART ARMSTRONG POST.

Comrades will meet in Memorial hall tomorrow (Friday) at 11:30 a.m. to take the 12:40 train to Crider'sville, to attend the funeral of comrade Kayler.

By order of commander, E. F. DAVIS, Adj't.

DO NOT MISS IT.

Don't miss what may be one of the best entertainments of the season at the opera house tomorrow night. Rev. R. W. Christian in the "Black Man's Burden," assisted by the Harmonic club. Tickets on sale at Vorckamp's drug store; Y. M. C. A. and box office.

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